

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s) : Torstein Ljungmann  
Serial No. : 10/582,561  
For : APPARATUS FOR TREATMENT OF TISSUE SPECIMENS  
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Examiner : Cleveland, Timothy C  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §114  
SUBMITTED  
WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action of July 13, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows. This response is submitted after the three-month shortened statutory period for reply corresponding to the Final Office Action dated February 26, 2010, which expired on May 26, 2010. Applicants submit herewith a Request For Continued Examination (RCE) and an electronic payment in the amount of \$810.00 as payment of the RCE fee.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins  
on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.